

Listing of the Claims

Without prejudice or disclaimer, please amend the claims as shown in the below Listing of the Claims. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application.

1 - 26. (Canceled)

27. (Currently amended) An agglomerated ~~eukaryotic~~ mammalian cell culture medium powder prepared by agglomerating a dry powder ~~eukaryotic~~ mammalian cell culture medium with a solvent; wherein said agglomerated powder comprises a biological buffer and recombinant insulin and, upon being reconstituted with water, comprises all the necessary nutritive factors for the proliferation or cultivation of a ~~eukaryotic~~ mammalian cell *in vitro*.

28 - 35. (Canceled)

36. (Currently amended) The ~~agglomerated-eukaryotic-cell-culture~~ medium powder of claim 27, wherein said ~~eukaryotic-cell-culture~~ medium has a pH of between 7.1-7.5 when said medium is reconstituted.

37 - 91. (Canceled)

92. (Previously presented) The medium powder of claim 27, wherein said medium powder exhibits reduced dusting in comparison to a medium powder that is non-agglomerated.

93. (Previously presented) The medium powder of claim 27, wherein said medium powder exhibits more rapid dissolution in comparison to a medium powder that is non-agglomerated.

94. (Previously presented) The medium powder of claim 27, wherein said medium powder exhibits reduced dusting and more rapid dissolution in comparison to a medium powder that is non-agglomerated.

95. (Previously presented) The medium powder of any one of claims 92-94, wherein the non-agglomerated medium powder is a lyophilized or ball-milled powder.

96 - 102. (Canceled)

103. (Currently amended) The ~~agglomerated eukaryotic cell culture~~ medium powder of claim 27, wherein said solvent is water, serum, aqueous acid or base.

104-109. (Canceled)

110. (Withdrawn) The agglomerated eukaryotic cell culture medium powder of claim 27, wherein said eukaryotic cell is a plant cell.

111. (Currently amended) The ~~agglomerated eukaryotic cell culture~~ medium powder of claim 27, wherein said ~~eukaryotic~~ mammalian cell is ~~an animal~~ a Chinese Hamster Ovary cell, hybridoma cell or human cell.

112-121. (Canceled)

122. (Currently amended) The ~~agglomerated eukaryotic cell culture~~ medium powder of claim 27, wherein the biological buffer is N-2-Hydroxyethylpiperazine-N'-2-ethanesulfonic acid.

123. (New) An agglomerated protein-free mammalian cell culture medium powder prepared by agglomerating a protein-free, dry powder mammalian cell culture medium with a solvent.

124. (New) The medium powder of claim 123 which is a basal medium.

125. (New) The medium powder of claim 123, wherein the culture medium is a culture medium selected from the group consisting of:

- (a) Dulbecco's Modified Eagle's Medium;
- (b) RPMI-1640;
- (c) MCDB 131;
- (d) MCDB 153;
- (e) McCoy's 5A;
- (f) Williams' Media E; and
- (g) Leibovitz's L-15 Medium.